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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

**Docket: A-1714**

In re application of: **Seth A. Foerster**

Serial No.: 09/781.793

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**For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ATTACHING CONNECTIVE TISSUES TO BONE  
USING A KNOTLESS SUTURE ANCHORING DEVICE**

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Sir,

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

**[X] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.**  
**[ ] No additional fee is required.**

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### SMALL ENTITY

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SMALL ENTITY

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Respectfully submitted,

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